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Announcement is made that the Federal Farm Loan Board will be in Albuquerque on November 20th, for the purpose of securing data regarding the making of loans in New Mexico. Our state has been placed in the district with Denver, Colorado as headquarters. The farmers of our county who are interested in the securing of loans on their farm property to make improvements, should get together and send a delegation to Albuquerque to lay the matter before the board. This delegation should be composed of farmers who know conditions in the valley, know the history of farming operations here, and who can really give information in reply to the questions which will undoubtedly be asked. County Agent Harwell has suggested that a committee of farmers be chosen, representing the whole valley, to take up this matter with the Board at this time, this step being preliminary to the organization necessary among the farmers before attempting to secure loans. Loans are made on farms at a rate not to exceed five per cent. per annum, to an amount not exceeding one-half of the actual valuation of the property. We have in preparation an article on the National Farm Loan Act, which we hope to publish shortly, explaining the necessary steps to organize and secure loans.

Tulips Fair

(Tune:—Auld Lang Syne.)

"I've seen the bells of tulips turn
To catch the drops that fell
From summer clouds, then why should
not
The two lips of a belle?
The two lips of a belle, my friends, the
two lips of a belle,
What sweetens more than water pure
the two lips of a belle?
"The sturdy oak full many a cup
Doth hold up to the sky,
To catch the rain and drinks it up,
And so the oak gets high;
And so the oak gets high, my friends,
and so the oak gets high,
By having water in its cups, then why
not you and I?
"Then let cold water armies fling
Their banners to the air;
So shall the boys like oaks be strong,
The girls like tulips fair;
The girls like tulips fair, my friends,
the girls like tulips fair,
The boys shall grow like sturdy oaks,
the girls like tulips fair."
—Anon.

Smiles

A well-known newspaper man in Indianapolis loves his early morning sleep.
Recently his wife upbraided him for not paying enough attention to the furnace in the morning.
The sleeping "journalist" was aroused before dawn with a rough shake.

With fifty cars of beans shipped out of the valley through Mountainair this far this season, to say nothing of other shipments of posts, wood, lumber, etc., Mountainair is getting the name of a busy little place. With great quantities of freight coming in, not only for home consumption right here, but supplies for all the towns along this side of the Manzanos, Agent Copeland is working about as hard as any man along the road. Even with his helper he finds it keeps him hustling over time to try to keep up with the business.

The good weather has continued well, since the rains of October, and it is a good thing for the farmers that it has. For with the great quantity of beans to be threshed and the limited capacities of the threshers, it has been utter impossibility for the farmers to really care for their crops. Had the rains of last month continued a little longer, great damage would have resulted, but the continued good weather has been a blessing of inestimable value.

The camp of Schelle, our neighboring town to the southwest promises to be up and doing, according to reports which come to us. The camp is indeed active, the ore now being shipped is of splendid quality and of great quantity. The shipments are bringing good returns, and increasing in quantity.

Fred Hinton broke the record this morning by loading two cars of beans in four hours. It required some hustling, but then Fred is some hustler.

If ten acres of land produce \$1105.00 worth of frijoles, what is the land worth? Ask J. H. Cumiford.

Is there anyone who is sorry that the campaign is over?

"What's that noise in the cellar?"
the frightened voice of his wife inquired.
"That's me fixin' the furnace," he replied, and returned to pleasant dreams.

Members of the Juries

Following is the list of veniremen for the Grand and Petit Jurors for the regular term of District Court, which will convene at Estancia on November 20:

Grand Jurors	Prec. No.
Antonio Aragon	10
Juan Archuleta	6
Manuel A. Argon	4
B. L. Hues	7
Teofilo Sanchez	1
Charles Hutchison	8
Juan Espinoza	2
Maximiano Zamora	3
Teodosio Villanueva	9
Alfredo Cedillo	3
Julian Sanchez	10
O. C. Manker	7
G. G. Sharon	8
Juan Jose Gurule	13
Antonio Anaya	19
Lucas Zamora	3
Leandor Abeyta	11
Vidal Zamora	3
Manuel Salas	7
Eulogio Duran	10
Roman Apodaca	9
Talesmen	
Bonafacio Lucero	2
Jose Silva	14
George Morrison	7

Vences Buenaventa..... 3
Alfredo Padia..... 10
Rosario Flores..... 10

Petit Jurors

	prec. No.
Espiridion Lueras	6
R. V. Neel	8
Eulalio Jaramillo	10
Abrahan Mirabal	6
L. E. Hanlon	6
Eleno Candelaria	3
Luis Serna	7
Jose Sanchez y Vilij	8
H. J. Fincke	8
Porfirio Silva	4
Jose Ma. Cisneros	6
J. W. Ashman	17
Nicolas Garcia	8
Macario Torrez	6
Frederico Cedillo	1
R. L. Harper	8
R. E. Burruss	7
Irving Meade	16
Jose Martinez	8
John Hodson	8
Eustaquio Gonzales	7
Jose Madrid	10
Joaquin Romero	15
Abelicio Aragon	10
Talesmen	
C. S. Kellogg	16
Jose Larranaga	9
Jose Ma. Torres	17
Dolores Aguilar	10
Venceslado Romero	10
Pablo Baca	8
Canuto Lopez	3
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Maximo Griego	6
Jesus Sanchez	19
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